GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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CONVERSION FROM HANDLOOM TO POWERLOOM
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is contemplating to convert handlooms to powerlooms in order to ameliorate the condition of the handloom weavers; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, area-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF TEXTILES(SHRI SHANKERSINH VAGHELA)

(a) There is no proposal under consideration of the Office of the Development Commissioner for Handlooms to convert handloom to powerlooms.

(b) Does not arise.